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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)

9323.014.00-US



In re Application of David Berkstresser et al.

Application Number 10/014,527-Conf. #3252	Filed December 14, 2001
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For: RIGID PLATE ASSEMBLY WITH POLISHING PAD AND METHOD OF USING

Art Unit 3723	Examiner E. A. Ojini
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ 950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 475.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.	
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0911	

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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<input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.	Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB-96, TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700)
<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.	
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).	

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Total of 1 forms are submitted.